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## FEELS RECEIPT IS SUFFICIENT

C. Myers, in Division Court, Claims Account Was Paid in Full.

G. G. McCabe Must Take Goods Ordered From Wine Company.

There were few cases of importance brought up for judgment in the first divisional court in session Friday afternoon.

Out of the twenty-seven cases which were before Judge Judd, the majority were held over for further testimony.

In the case of Archie McLaughlin vs. C. Myers, for the settlement of an account, the latter had with him a receipt marked paid, to prove it. The witness, speaking for the plaintiff, said that the signature on the receipt was not that of anyone in his firm.

"You are trying to infer that it is mine, then," Myers went on to say, addressing the accuser. "You can't deny that the stamp on it is that of your firm, although you deny the initials are yours or those of anyone connected with McLaughlin's firm. I have paid that bill for the whole of it. I thought when I brought the receipt into court that there would be no argument about the matter at all."

Another case was that of the Ontario Wine Company vs. G. G. McCabe. The latter had purchased goods from the wine company and when he had gone out of business and accordingly returned them without a written order of having done so. The Ontario Wine Company refused to take back the goods, and the Grand Trunk seized the shipment as payment of the freight charges. They had in the lock-up of that railroad. The Toronto firm is now asking payment for the goods.

McCabe, addressing the judge, said: "I returned those goods; why should I have to pay for them? If I had kept them and not paid the purchase price, it would have been a clear case against me."

The case closed with McCabe having to pay for the goods, and if he pays the freight the goods, which are now of no use to him, will be his.

## WANTS TO SEE OLD BOYS' REUNIONS REVIVED HERE

Robert J. Bower, Visiting City, Says Chicago Association Would Take London By Storm.

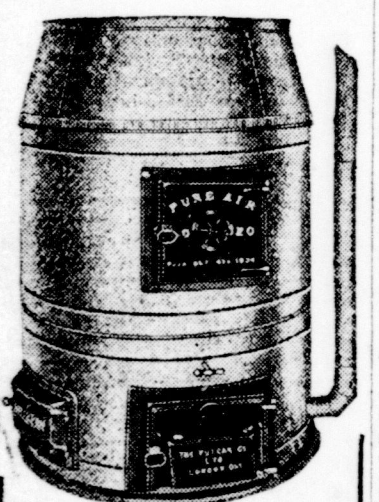
Robert J. Bower of Chicago, a London Old Boy, who numbers a host of friends here, is visiting relatives in the Forest City Saturday. Mr. Bower was a visitor at the city hall Saturday morning, where he renewed old acquaintances, declares that London should get busy in the near future and make plans for another Old Boys' reunion.

He regretted the fact that the war compelled suspension of such reunions, declaring that they are the only means possessed by Londoners spread across the continent to meet their boyhood chums and old friends. High railway rates were blamed by Mr. Bower for preventing a reunion, the increased cost of transportation preventing many Londoners in distant places from returning to their native city for a visit.

However, he is confident that if a reunion were planned for 1923, London would be overwhelmed by the return of her native sons, and he states that Chicago London Old Boys are willing to organize and take the Forest City by storm.

Mr. Bower is an inspector for a large insurance company, with offices in Chicago. When resident in London he was engaged in boiler manufacturing.

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## Magistrate Remands Boisterous Prisoner on Window Peeping Charge

So boisterous was Joseph Woolley of Chatham during his hearing in police court this morning on a charge of acting in a disorderly manner in a public place, that Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon decided to remand him for a week in order to allow him to calm down.

Residents of Kennon Place complained he was peeping in their windows. When this accusation was made, Woolley protested so loudly

that the court told him that he would be held guilty of disorderly conduct in court if he was not careful.

One Kennon Place resident stated his wife heard a noise on the veranda and went out to investigate. She saw a man rush across the road and disappear behind some bushes, he testified. He went out and called to the stranger, and Woolley came out of the bushes. Neighbors had called an officer. Constable Leach took the prisoner to the station.

## ADMIT THERE MAY BE TRUTH IN CHARGE

County Constables Say Question Has Never Had Real Test.

Following the announcement Friday that a doubt had been raised in the minds of certain individuals respecting remuneration for the Midsex constabulary, members of that body have admitted that the question has never been subject to a real test.

They entertain the opinion that there may be a substance of truth in the claim that they are entitled to but one fee for several cases at one sitting of a court, with the provision, of course, that the cases are all of a criminal nature.

While not positive in their declaration, a member of the force reasons that this may be the procedure, in view of the fact that in such cases there are no costs to be collected.

Upon the other hand, however, the constables ridicule the suggestion that they may be compelled to hand back anything that they have already been paid.

## CANADIAN RAIL MEN TO STRIKE TUESDAY

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ment that the railways had not submitted any evidence to justify them in reducing wages, but evidently the board has not considered our evidence or exhibits of sufficient importance to even make a passing reference to them in their report.

"We would take it from your night telegram that nothing more can be expected of this board. This, I presume, will leave us free to determine our own course of action since we have complied with the law."

"We would remind you that, at the time we made application for a board of conciliation, we informed you that we had taken a strike vote of our membership, which was overwhelmingly in favor of a strike to resist the wage reduction. We, however, hesitated to put this into effect at that time, in view of the near approach of winter and the coal shortage, together with the grain situation in the west, and the demoralizing effect a cessation of work would have on the country at large."

"We have earnestly and consistently availed ourselves of every channel open to us to avoid a cessation of work, and at the same time protect the men whom we represent. Even the invocation of the industrial disputes act proved futile."

"Our committee are still in conference deliberating as to what our next step will be, but have no hesitation in saying that instructions will be issued within the next few days for a cessation of work by all railway shompen in the Dominion. However, I will deem it my duty to advise you more fully on this as soon as the strike call has been issued."

The circular letter which has been sent out to the shompen, after formally setting forth the findings of the board of conciliation, says: "Your committee is in personal communication with the railway employees' department and will be in a position to advise our membership within the next few days. In the meantime, all local men are to prepare for a strike on short notice. If a strike is called full instructions will be forwarded with strike call."

"The situation is serious. Your committee will do everything possible to protect your interests, but if fight we must, we will show that we know how."

LONDON MEN CONCERNED.

Following an order from the union chiefs of the Federated Shop Trades to be ready for a strike at a moment's notice, the maintenance-of-way situation as far as the Canadian railroads are concerned is fast taking on a serious aspect.

If the shop employees walk out it is almost certain, London officials point out, that the maintenance-of-way men will follow suit, unless the railroads give in to their demands.

A general meeting of all maintenance-of-way men in London district is called for Saturday night and it is highly probable that revelations of a startling nature concerning the strike situation will follow the conference.

It is a well known fact that both the shop and the maintenance-of-way employees in this district do not take any too kindly to the reduction in wages, even though it is temporary, and it is said in well informed circles that both branches of labor are ready to strike if the word is given.

Joseph Corbett, general chairman of the Grand Trunk shompen in Canada, left a few days ago for Montreal, where an urgent meeting of the union chiefs was called to decide whether or not a strike would be resorted to. Work is expected from Mr. Corbett at any hour, and until that time the situation in this city is unusually tense.

The fact that the shompen in St. Thomas employed on the Michigan Central Railway threaten to strike on Saturday night, following the posting of a notice by the railway officials that a cut of 7 cents an hour would go into effect at once, will have a direct effect on the attitude of the local men, and if a walk-out occurs in St. Thomas, officials declare that immediate action will have to be taken by the railway heads or the chances are great that strike orders will flash from union headquarters.

The surface of the earth is one twelve-thousandth that of the sun. The Chinese use shark fins for making thick, gelatinous soup.

## SENDS 2 FOR TRIAL ON THEFT CHARGE

Magistrate Commits George O'Brien and Walter Hagarty of Stratford.

George O'Brien and Walter Hagarty, of Stratford, were committed for trial on a charge of stealing an auto owned by H. B. Agnew, 701 Adelaide street, following preliminary hearing in police court Saturday.

Agnew told of the car being stolen a few weeks ago from his home. The right door of his car was badly damaged, he said. Its serial number was 336-622.

About a week ago, according to Chief of Police Joseph L. Broadley, of Stratford, Agnew's car was found in a barn on Erie street, Stratford. It had been brought there and offered for sale. Later the car was moved to a barn at the rear of the brewery, O'Brien and Hagarty were in the brewery when the discovery was made, he stated.

David Tooker, a garage man, said two men offered him Agnew's car for \$75, but he refused to buy it. They lowered their price to \$50, and he notified the police. The men appeared to be older than the prisoners, he stated.

John H. Seebach, an employee at the garage, saw O'Brien bring the car into the garage and leave it there, he declared. He did not see Hagarty.

"There is not much evidence against Hagarty," Magistrate Graydon commented as he sent the two men for trial.

Edward Weir acted for the crown, and John Murray of Stratford, for the prisoners.

## LAST OF FOUR HORSEMEN WIN FREEDOM SATURDAY

Magistrate Releases Carl Nepper and Harry O'Neil When \$9.85 Is Produced.

Today the last two of the "four horsemen" arrested on a charge of vagrancy a week ago, were released by Magistrate Graydon in police court.

These four men, who have been following the horses for a living, were arrested on Dundas street early one morning a week ago, after they had arrived in the city by auto. They had but 80 cents between them, and were headed for Toronto.

They were promised freedom as soon as their transportation arrived. Two of the men, Fred Smith and Everett Marshall, were released early in the week when two \$5 bills were sent to them by friends.

Saturday morning Carl Nepper and Harry O'Neil announced they had obtained \$9.85. They were escorted to the train by police officers and hidden again.

## Obituaries

H. W. PAGE.

The funeral of the late Harry Walter Page, whose death took place on Wednesday, was conducted at St. Marys on Friday afternoon, the Rev. W. L. Armitage officiating.

Mr. Page died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. H. W. Speare, 250 Ridout street south, at the advanced age of 82 years. He was born at Barnstable, Devon, England, and for 23 years resided in the Sixtieth Rifles of the British army.

The deceased resided in London some forty years ago, after which he moved to St. Marys, where he resided until ten years ago, since which time he has been in London at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Speare, Ridout street.

Mr. Page is survived by one daughter and two sons, William of Ottawa and Herbert of Grimsby.

## FORMER STRATFORD SCHOOL HEAD PASSES

STRATFORD, Sept. 8.—A former principal of Stratford Collegiate Institute passed away at Los Angeles on August 28 last in the person of William McBride, M. A.

The late Mr. McBride succeeded Mr. Merchant as principal of the collegiate institute here in 1884. In 1889 he resigned the principalship to teach in Winnipeg. He was succeeded by Mr. C. A. Mayberry, the present principal. The late Mr. McBride taught in Winnipeg for some time and then entered the insurance business.

## REPORT SALE OF WEEKLY NEWSPAPER AT MEAFORD

MEAFORD, Sept. 8.—It was officially announced today by the Patterson Publishing Company that the Mirror, weekly newspaper, was sold to A. S. Thurston, who has been on the editorial staff of the Farmers' Sun for the past nine years.

Mr. Thurston will take possession Monday, September 11. The Meaford Mirror was established in 1882 by the present editor's father.

## BROWN CARACUL

Brown Caracul has never been shown much before, but on account of the prevalence of brown this season it is advanced as one of the novelties.

## ESTABLISH NEW FACTORY IN CITY

Coca-Cola Company Assumes Control of Tune Manufacturing Plant.

New and Sanitary Machines to Grace Soft Drink Establishment.

London is now identified with a manufacturing concern whose product is consumed in every community of any size from coast to coast, and from New Orleans to New Ontario, namely, the Coca-Cola Company of international fame, and affiliated with the American concern of the same name.

Assuming control of one of London's oldest soft drink establishments, the Tune & Co. plant at the corner of Colborne street and the Canadian Pacific tracks, the Coca-Cola executives have already commenced their activities locally and will maintain, they stated Saturday, the policy first adopted by the Tune company 40 years ago and continued by their successors, the Eckert Company—"quality and service."

New machinery of the latest type is now under course of manufacture, and will be installed upon completion. In this undertaking special and close attention has been given to sanitary features. New motor equipment will also be added to the plant to facilitate and improve the operation of the same.

This is one of the many new plants opened by the Coca-Cola people in Eastern Canada since the first of the year, making a total of 25 live branches throughout the Dominion, from Vancouver to Halifax.

A new sales and advertising scheme is now under course of preparation, and will be submitted in the near future.

Local men are being engaged wherever possible. Hubert Edson has been retained as office manager, while John Dods, also of this city, has been named as superintendent. The latter attained an enviable reputation in past years by reason of his supervision in connection with the manufacture of that famous drink, "London Dry Ginger Ale." The Coca-Cola executive announced that he will continue with this undertaking with even greater success.

From Edmonton, Alta., has come D. S. Hawkes, who for the past three years has been in control of the company's plant in that community.

Mr. Hawkes, while in the west, created quite a favorable impression by his activities as a lacrosse and hockey player of no mean ability, and was a member of no less an aggregation as the Edmonton Eskimos.

## TO HOLD CHAPTER OF INSTRUCTION

Royal Arch Masons Will Meet at Temple Wednesday.

Royal Arch Masons of London have announced that on Wednesday next a district chapter of instruction will be held in the Masonic Temple. The M. M. N. degree will be commenced at 2 p.m., being "put on" by the officers of Palestine Chapter. Officers of Wawonosh Chapter will exemplify the M. E. M. degree at 4 p.m., and the chapter of instruction will be concluded by the royal arch degree at 8:15 p.m., with officers of Minnewawa conferring it.

Notwithstanding the fact that Western Fair will serve as a counter attraction to Royal Arch Masons of London district next Wednesday, a large gathering of companions is expected to be present. Most Excellent Companion R. H. Spencer, Grand Z. of Trenton, Ontario, will be present throughout the session.

During the chapter of instruction, a cafeteria lunch and supper will be served the visitors from the district and city in the basement of the Masonic Temple. The hours for this lunch service have been set at noon, 2 p.m., 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.

## MAYOR WILSON DENIES HE BOUGHT INFERIOR COAL

Answers Charges of A. E. Silverwood That He Bought From "Coal Pirates."

Replying to the criticism of Trustee A. E. Silverwood at the meeting of No. 3 committee of the board of education Friday afternoon in which he alleged that Mayor Wilson was buying inferior coal from "coal pirates" who were keeping the prices up, Mayor Wilson Saturday morning declared that the coal ordered by the city to avert a fuel crisis next winter is of superior grade.

"I would refer Trustee Silverwood to any of the coal dealers of London," said his Worship. "They tell me that the civic purchased coal is of the best grade, and the price paid was the best that could be obtained on the market from our standpoint. We have two or three cars of coal that we can let the board of education have for schools, but we do not want to sell it to them if they assume that attitude. We are not anxious to dispose of it as the citizens of London are seizing the opportunity and will take it. There should be no controversy over this thing because everybody did their best and the results are most satisfactory."

## CUT BREAD PRICE AT TILLSONBURG

Special to London Advertiser.

TILLSONBURG, Sept. 8.—Local citizens received a pleasant surprise this morning in the fact that local bread prices dropped from ten cents to eight cents per loaf with the end of the reduction not yet in sight.

Tomorrow, a store which is opening on Broadway, is advertising bread at seven and a half cents a loaf, the lowest price in several years past.

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## BRANTFORD FIREMEN TO PULL FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Special to London Advertiser.

BRANTFORD, Sept. 8.—The Brantford Fire Fighters Athletic Association is sending its tug-of-war team to the Toronto Exhibition tomorrow to pull for the championship of Canada. The Brantford boys obtained the championship, among firemen's teams, and tomorrow practically the same team will leave to face all opponents for the open championship of Canada. The pull will be at the exhibition grounds on Saturday.

Last year's champion was a Toronto police team. The Brantford men are in fine condition, a husky, heavy lot, and they have faithfully trained for the event. Quite a number of Brantford athletes and lovers of sport are going with the team.

## TO SEEK DIVORCE AT NEXT SESSION

OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—(Canadian Press).—Notice is given in the Canada Gazette that John Darton, of Palmyra, Kent County, will apply to Parliament next session for a divorce from Elizabeth Darton of the township of Biddulph, Middlesex County. Winifred Scatterd of London, Ontario, will apply for a divorce from her husband, John Bailey Scatterd of Hamilton.

## TRANSFER OTTAWA MAN TO POST AT KITCHENER

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—J. McCaffrey, who since Feb. 1 has been district inspector of the provincial police at Ottawa and for district No. 6, has been transferred to district No. 2, with headquarters at Kitchener, Ont. It was announced yesterday. Since Mr. McCaffrey took office, more than seven hundred convictions for criminal charges and violations of the Ontario temperance act have been secured by the provincial police in district No. 6.

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LORETTO, Italy, Sept. 8.—Fifty thousand persons gathered in the square of Our Lady to participate in the dedication of the new statue of the Madonna.

Cardinal Gasparri, especially designated to attend the ceremonies by Pope Pius XI, accompanied by other cardinals, bestowed the papal benediction upon the assembled multitude.